



## 99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

SB1545

Introduced 2/20/2015, by Sen. David S. Luechtefeld

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

20 ILCS 2305/8.5 new

Amends the Department of Public Health Act. Requires the Department of Public Health to establish a 3-year pilot program that provides diabetes testing and education on diabetes management in Cook County, DeKalb County, and Rock Island County from funds appropriated for that purpose. Provides that the Department shall designate a single community-based, not-for-profit provider of healthy living services to manage and administer the program; and that the designated provider shall receive reimbursement under the medical assistance program for the diabetes testing and educational services provided under the pilot program. Grants the Department rulemaking authority. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning State government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Department of Public Health Act is amended  
5 by adding Section 8.5 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 2305/8.5 new)

7 Sec. 8.5. Diabetes testing and diabetes management; pilot  
8 program. From funds appropriated for that purpose, the  
9 Department of Public Health shall establish a 3-year pilot  
10 program that provides diabetes testing and education on  
11 diabetes management in Cook County, DeKalb County, and Rock  
12 Island County. To implement the pilot program, the Department  
13 shall designate a single community-based, not-for-profit  
14 provider of healthy living services to manage and administer  
15 the program. The designated provider shall receive  
16 reimbursement under the medical assistance program for the  
17 diabetes testing and educational services provided under the  
18 pilot program. The Department shall adopt rules in cooperation  
19 with the Department of Healthcare and Family Services to  
20 implement this Section.

21 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
22 becoming law.